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Rate Adjustments Comments

Lynn,

I almost forgot to formally submit these comments/suggestions on the proposed Rate Adjustments for 2004.

- 1) BEPC suggests using 2 % of the unit rating instead of 2 % of the actual generation as the bandwidth for large coal units.
- 2) BEPC suggests opening the bandwidth to forgive shortfalls of large coal units generation if the shortfall is caused by station service associated with a large coal unit being off line. For instance, when one of the LRS units is off line, 2 % being the bandwidth is already 11 mw approximately. This is about the magnitude of station service so that we may be out of band, and when startup occurs we are out of band.

Thanks for your consideration.

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